

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Normal. Current.

Prices of food grains—Rice

Ragi

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops of sugar-cane and Vaisakhi paddy are in good condition. Sugar-cane is being harvested and milled. Potato is being gathered.

10. Prospects of the season generally good. Heat is very much felt. Kankanhalli complains of want of sufficient water for standing crops.

11. Public health moderately good. Fever prevails in some parts. In Kankanhalli small-pox and dysentery prevail.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane is being sown in almost all the taluks of the district. Sugar-cane in Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Malur, Srinivasapur; paddy and sugar-cane in Bagepalli; paddy, sugar-cane, jola and saffron in Goribidnur; sugar-cane and Bengal gram in Gudibanda are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing wet crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Koratagere, Gubbi, Turuvekere and Kunigal; paddy and wheat in Maddagiri are being harvested. Paddy in Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Turuvekere are being sown. As water is failing in tanks and wells in Pavagada, paddy and jola crops are withering.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available except in parts of Pavagada.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, viz., paddy, sugar-cane, cotton and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Prospects of the season good.

Public health good.

Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, i. e., sugar-cane, kar-paddy, onions and garlic in Hassan; paddy and sugar-cane in Arsikere, and sugar-cane in Channarayana are in good condition. Lands are being ploughed up for the next cultivating season.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks available.

11. Public health generally good. Fever and cold prevail in parts of the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The harvesting of ragi is progressing in the Shimoga Taluk. Bengal gram, green gram and castor in the Shikarpur Taluk; Bengal gram in the Shimoga Taluk, and jola in the Channagiri Taluk are being harvested. Sugar-cane is being planted in the Shikarpur Taluk, while it is being milled in the Shikarpur, Kumsi and Shimoga Taluks. The standing crops such as green gram, sugar-cane, etc., are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, viz., Bengal gram and sugar-cane in the Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane in the Kadur Taluk, and sugar-cane in the Koppa Taluk are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. White jola, wheat, Bengal gram and castor in the Chitaldrug Taluk; white jola, Bengal gram, wheat, and cotton in the Jagalur Taluk; white jola, Bengal gram and paddy in the Challakere Taluk; and castor in the Molakalmuru Taluk are being harvested during the week.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

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